GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1462
ANSWERED ON:16.07.2004
PROGRAMME FOR COMPUTERISATION
Singh Shri Dushyant

Will the Minister of COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry of Company Affairs has drawn up an ambitious programme for computerisation;

(b) if so, the total amount of investment earmarked under the computerisation programme;

(c) whether the Government proposes to engage private companies for computerisation; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI PREM CHAND GUPTA)

(a) Yes sir. The Ministry of Company Affairs has drawn up a composite e-Governance and modernisation program called `DCA21`.

The program envisages e-filing of companies` documents through an interactive and paperless registration process facilitated by computerisation of all offices of the Registrars of Companies and Regional Directors in the country.

(b)An approximate amount of Rs.350 crores has been provisionally agreed to be earmarked for the project, which is proposed for a horizon of 6 years.

(c) & (d):In order to tap the technological talent available within the country for the technology-intensive e-governance service program and to provide better value for money and enhanced quality of service to the stakeholders, it has been planned to implement the project in Public-Private Partnership mode through Government-monitored contracts.